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TO AMEMBASSY RANGOON

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TAGS: EMIN, BM

SUBJ: BURMESE OIL POLICY

REFS: A. RANGOON 1157

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1. AMOCO WASHINGTON REP INFORMED DEPARTMENT IN CONFIDENCE THAT SHORTLY BEFORE AMOCO NEGOTIATORS LEFT RANGOON, MOC INDICATED THAT GUB WILLING CONSIDER PRODUCTION SHARING ARRANGEMENT RATHER THAN PROFIT SHARING AS INITIALLY PROPOSED (PARA 3 REF A). MOC REPORTEDLY HAD NOT BEEN AWARE DISTINCTION UNDER US TAX LAWS. AMOCO NATURALLY PLEASED WITH MOC CHANGE AND REQUESTED EMBASSY BE INFORMED TOGETHER WITH COMPANY' S APPRECIATION FOR EMBASSY' S ASSISTANCE.

2. AMOCO BELIEVES MOC WILL GO THROUGH MOTIONS OF TALKING TO OTHER FIRMS, BUT IS CONFIDENT IT STILL HAS " INSIDE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TRACK" FOR FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS AND EVENTUAL CONTRACT.

3. PER REF B, DESK INFORMED ASHLAND OIL SCHEDULED JUNE 1,
CHEVRON JUNE 4 AND CITIES SERVICE JULY 4. PORTER

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